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SUBJECT: CLAUDIA CAPTAIN SAYS LIBYAN TROOPS LOADED ARMS

REF: DUBLIN 447

1. " IRISH INDEPENDENT" TODAY CARRIES INTERVIEW GIVEN BY CLAUDIA' S CAPTAIN TO A REPORTER ABOARD VESSEL IN HAMBURG. ACCORDING TO INTERVIEW, CAPTAIN FLUEGE SAID THAT LIBYAN TROOPS LOADED ARMS AT NIGHT AFTER TELLING SHIP TO DOUSE LIGHTS. IRA MEN SUPERVISED LOADING AND ACCOMPANIED VESSEL ON TRIP TO IRELAND.

2. REPORTER ALSO SPECULATES THAT CLAUDIA MAY HAVE BEEN THE CAUSE OF " INTERNATIONAL AIR INCIDENT" IN WHICH LIBYAN JET FIRED ON US " SPY PLANE" OVER MEDITERRANEAN.

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3. JUSTICE MINISTER OF PREVIOUS IRISH GOVT HAS
CRITICIZED NEW GOVT' S PROMPT RELEASE OF CLAUDIA WITHOUT
PROSECUTION. SOME NEWSPAPERS SPECULATE THAT GOI HAD
MADE A DEAL WITH SHIP' S CAPTAIN OR OWNER. MOORE

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